

In the Specification, amend paragraph 40 on pages 5 and 6 as follows:

[0040] The pull tab 30, shown and described hereafter in many aspects, is part of a substantially non-adhesive area 32 which is formed by various means, also described hereafter, on the adhesive layer of each sheet 26. Preferably, the non-adhesive area 32 is disposed in registry with the separable edge 24 of each sheet 26 from the roll 10. The term "registry" will be understood to encompass configurations where the area 32 of the pull tab 30 overlays and spans the separable edge 24 or is disposed in contact with a portion of the edge 24 such that the entire area 32 extends away from the edge 24 and does not span the edge 24. As shown in Figs. 4 and 5, the non-adhesive area 32 can take different configurations, such as a polygonal configuration 34 shown in Figs. 1-4, and 6-10, where the area 32 has a square, rectangular or other polygonal shape, or a circular configuration 36 as shown in Fig. 5. The non-adhesive areas 32 can also be provided in a color different than the color of the tape or printed with indicia, such as "pull here". As seen in the Fig. 1, the area 32 is substantially severed by the edge 24 into two segments 32A and 32B.